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SUBJECT: U.S. TRADE ACT

REF: (A) STATE 035399 AND (B) TEGUCIGALPA 0295

1. POSITION OUTLINED REFTEL PRESENTED TO MINECON BENNATON. HONDURAS LIKELY TO BE REPRESENTED BY VICE MINECON VICENTE DIAZ OR DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE RODOLFO ALVAREZ BACA AT MARCH 10-15 IA-ECOSOC CONFERENCE.

2. IN BRIEF, BENNATON'S RESPONSE INDICATES HONDURAS UNLIKELY TO GET OUT IN FRONT TO SUPPORT U.S. TRADE ACT. EMBASSY NOTES THAT MTN IS OUT OF HONDURAS' LEAGUE. FURTHER, GSP IS SO FAR A PIG-IN-A-POKE. UNTIL SPECIFIC IMPACT ON HONDURAS IS KNOWN, THE MTN AND GSP REMAIN INDETERMINATE.

3. COMMENT: BENNATON EMPHASIS ON SELF-INTEREST MOST LIKELY WILL PLACE HONDURAS ON SAME GROUND AS PRESENTED TO GOV IN JOINT DECLARATION OF C.A. CHIEFS OF STATE JAN. 18, AND GENERAL LOPEZ LETTER TO PRESIDENT PEREZ REPORTED REFTEL (B). SANCHEZ

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